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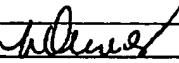
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1)	(Column 2)	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.10(a))			\$ 1.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.10(c))	minus 20 =		X \$ 1.00 =	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.10(d))	minus 3 =		X \$ 1.00 =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.10(d))			+ \$ 1.00 =	
				TOTAL

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESNT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.10(e))	4	Minus " 20 "	/	X \$ 25.00 =	
Independent (37 CFR 1.10(f))	1	Minus " 4 "	/	X \$ 100.00 =	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.10(d))				+ \$ 1.00 =	
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESNT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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Independent (37 CFR 1.10(f))		Minus " "	/	X \$ 100.00 =	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.10(d))				+ \$ 1.00 =	
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESNT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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Independent (37 CFR 1.10(f))		Minus " "	/	X \$ 100.00 =	
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				TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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